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I am also writing the other three panel members, Alvarez, Goudsmit, and Page, and sending them copies of the Robertson/Davidson exchange. This is being done in anticipation of their being bombarded by Davidson as you and Bob have been. Perhaps a solid front erected between the panel members and Davidson will discourage him. He is taking far too much of all our time and effort.

In those cases where we have been required to correspond directly with Davidson, our reply has been merely one of acknowledging receipt and advising him that his queries had been forwarded to the Air Force for appropriate action.

Please contact me if you continue to be embroiled in this matter.

Best regards.

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